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SUBJ: RHODESIA AND THE SECURITY COUNCIL: CONSULTATIONS IN
CAPITALS

REF: STATE 217724

1. BRITISH AMBASSADOR STATHAM CALLED AFTERNOON SEPTEMBER 22 ON
AMBASSADOR CRIMMINS TO DISCUSS UK-US INITIATIVE ON RHODESIA.
STATHAM SAID THAT, SUBJECT TO OUR VIEWS, HE IS PLANNING TO CALL ON
SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE FOREIGN MINISTRY EARLY NEXT WEEK IN
ORDER TO BRING THE GOB UP TO DATE ON THE STATE OF
INITIATIVE, INCLUDING THE PROPOSED MEETING OF THE SECURITY
COUNCIL TO AUTHORIZE THE SECRETARY GENERAL TO APPOINT A UN
REPRESENTATIVE AS CALLED FOR IN PARA. 11 C. OF THE UK WHITE
PAPER. AMBASSADOR CRIMMINS SAID THAT HE WOULD BE GLAD TO FOLLOW
UP THE BRITISH PITCH ON THE SC ASPECT, BUT WOULD HAVE TO CHECK
WITH THE DEPARTMENT.

2. AMBASSADOR STATHAM ALSO HAS INSTRUCTIONS TO RAISE WITH THE
FOREIGN MINISTRY, AT HIS DISCRETION, THE MATTER OF THE POSSIBLE
BRAZILIAN CONTRIBUTION TO THE ZIMBABWE DEVELOPMENT FUND.
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AMBASSADOR CRIMMINS TOLD STATHAM THAT HE WAS ALSO PREPARED TO
SUPPORT SUCH AN APPROACH EVEN THOUGH WE DO NOT BELIEVE THAT A
BRAZILIAN CONTRIBUTION WILL BE FORTHCOMING. HOWEVER, WE HAVE
NO INSTRUCTIONS IN THIS REGARD AND WOULD APPRECIATE
DEPARTMENT'S EARLY VIEWS SO THAT WE COULD ACT IN CONCERT WITH
THE BRITISH IF THAT IS WHAT THE DEPARTMENT WISHES. WE WOULD ALSO
APPRECIATE UP-TO-DATE INFORMATION ON THE STATE OF PLAY OF THE

INITIATIVE IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL.

3. REQUEST REPLY NO LATER THAN COB SEPTEMBER 23.
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